(*b*) if so, when it was prepared and how it should be given effect to ;

(*c*) its total estimated cost (details to be furnished itemwar) ;

(*d*) in what years and how much grant was sanctioned by Government for this purpose : and the expenditure actually incurred in each of those years ;

(*e*) whether no grant was sanctioned for this purpose in 1940-41 and whether no work was carried out ?

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (Mr. V. Vedavyasacharya).—

A.—(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A comprehensive scheme was prepared in June 1939. Work was started in the same year.

(*c*) Rs. 60,570.—

		Rs.
1.	Opening out of hallas and draining of swamps	13,058
2.	Right and Left Bank Channel (Flushing gates)	4,600
3.	Canalising the river	39,500
4.	Contingencies, etc.	3,362

	Govt Grant.	*Expenditure.*
(*d*) 1938-39 ...	Rs. 7,000	Rs. 4,964 3 9
1939-40 ...	„ 6,000	„ 6,000 0 0

(*e*) A grant of Rs. 8,500 was sanctioned during 1940-41 ; work worth an expenditure of Rs. 210 was done during the year.

MR. C. RAMASWAMY CHETTY (Shimoga—Urban).—

Q.—84. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the scholarship committees for the years 1941-42, 1942-43, *viz.*, 81 Backward Scholarship Committees, four Malnad Scholarship Committees, nine Muslim Scholarship Committees, appointed by the Director of Public Instruction, have been published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 17th July 1941 ;

(*b*) the political parties to which the 376 and 17 members who are in the Backward Scholarship Committee and Malnad Scholarship Committee, respectively, belong ;

(*c*) whether it is not a fact that persons who are long since dead still continue as the Chairmen of the Scholarship Committees ;

(*d*) whether it is not a fact that certain members in the committees are still being designated as members of the Assembly, District Board and School Board even though they have ceased to be members of those bodies ;

(*e*) (i) how many Presidents of the District Boards are appointed as Chairmen for these committees ;

(ii) to what political parties do they belong ?

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, GENERAL DEPARTMENT (Mr. J. Appaji Gowda).—

A.—(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Information is not available.

(*c*) Government have no information.

(*d*) Changes have been notified by the Director of Public Instruction in the *Gazette*, as and when such discrepancies were brought to notice.

(*e*) (i) Four.

(ii) Government have no information.